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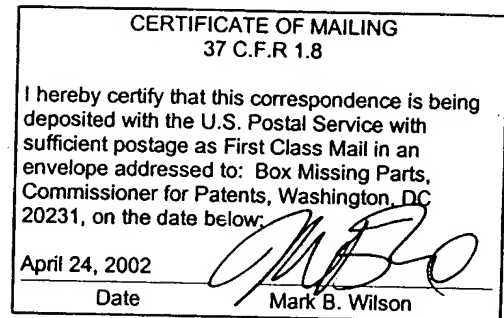
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For: METHOD FOR OBTAINING A
STABILIZED PHOTOCHROMIC LATEX,
LATEX OBTAINED, AND
APPLICATION TO OPHTHALMIC
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL
APPLICATION FILED UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b), dated February 11, 2002, there are enclosed herewith:

- (a) Declaration executed on behalf of Pascale Tardieu, Sylvette Maisonnier, Anne Robert and Jean-Paul Cano;
- (b) A Power of Attorney on behalf of ESSILOR INTERNATIONAL COMPAGNIE GENERALE D'OPTIQUE;

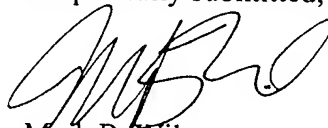
- (c) Our check in the amount of \$240.00 to cover the surcharge for late filing (\$130.00); and one month extension of time fee (\$110.00);
- (d) A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filed Under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)-Filing Date Granted; and
- (e) A Request for Extension of Time of one month to and including May 11, 2002. Should such request be absent, consider this such a request and authorization to withdraw the appropriate fee under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 as stated below.

An Assignment to ESSILOR INTERNATIONAL COMPAGNIE GENERALE D'OPTIQUE and a check for \$40.00 are being filed under separate cover.

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Respectfully submitted,



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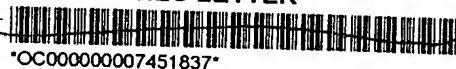
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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